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Mamoru Tanaka et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1711
Application No.: 10/509,765	)	Examiner: DUC TRUONG
Filed: September 30, 2004	)	Confirmation No.: 4392
For: THIOURETHANE-BASED OPTICAL MATERIAL	)	

**REQUEST TO COMPLETE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

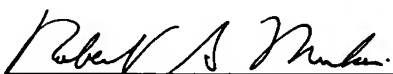
In reviewing the application identified above upon allowance, the undersigned has noted:

- ☐ The Notice of Allowance shows the following discrepancy(ies): \_\_\_\_\_.  
The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is therefore requested to correct this discrepancy and issue a corrected Notice of Allowance.
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ representative has not yet received a Notice that the Assignment filed on \_\_\_\_\_ has been recorded. A copy of the original Assignment and recordation form cover sheet, as filed, are enclosed. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to provide a Notice of Recordation to \_\_\_\_\_ representative as soon as possible.
- ☐ The priority document filed \_\_\_\_\_ has not been acknowledged by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Acknowledgement of this priority document is respectfully requested.
- ☒ The Form PTO-1449 submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement(s) filed on March 7, 2007 has not yet been returned. It is therefore respectfully requested that this form(s) be returned as soon as possible indicating consideration of the document(s) mentioned thereon.
- ☒ A Corrected Official Filing Receipt has not yet been received. A copy of the first and second Requests, as filed, are enclosed. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to provide a Corrected Official Filing Receipt as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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**FOURTH  
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Enclosed is a FOURTH Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) and accompanying form PTO-1449 for the above-identified patent application.

- ☒ No additional fee for submission of an IDS is required.
- ☐ The fee of \$ 180 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is also enclosed.
- ☐ A statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) is also enclosed.
- ☐ A statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e), and the fee of \$ 180 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) are also enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.
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- ☐ Charge \_\_\_\_\_ to credit card for the fee due. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants hereby submit certain documents cited in a Search Report dated February 25, 1007 in the corresponding European application in conformance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98.

To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

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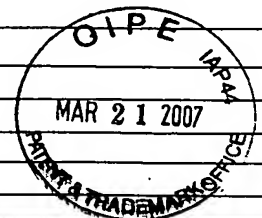
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**STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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					Translation	Partial Translation	Eng. Lang. Summary	Search Report	IPER	Abstract	Cited in Spec
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